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Inventor: Frank Joseph Homolka and Craig Earl Bath  
Application Number:  
Filing Date: February 2, 2004  
Group Art Unit:  
Examiner Name:  
Attorney Docket Number: HomolkaCont

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**LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL**

Mail Stop Patent Application  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please find enclosed for filing a continuation-in-part application for patent entitled "Adjustably Resilient Jamb Protection System", including the following documents:

1. a Preliminary Amendment (11 pages);
2. an Application Data Sheet (3 pages);
3. a Declaration For Patent Application of Frank Joseph Homolka (4 pages);
4. a Power of Attorney of the applicant Frank Joseph Homolka (1 pages);
5. a Power of Attorney of the applicant Craig Earl Bath (1 pages);
6. a Statement Establishing Small Entity Status - Inventor of Frank Joseph Homolka (1 pages);
7. a Statement Establishing Small Entity Status - Inventor of Craig Earl Bath (1 pages);

8. an Assignment of Patent Rights from Frank Joseph Homolka and Craig Earl Bath to Jambskins, Inc. (6 pages) along with a Recordation Cover Sheet (1 page);
9. a Power of Attorney of the assignee Jambskins, Inc. (1 pages);
10. a Statement Establishing Small Entity Status - Small Business Concern of Jambskins, Inc. (1 pages);
11. a copy of the specification as filed with the parent application without the addition of any new matter (17 pages);
12. a copy of the drawings as filed with the parent application without the addition of any new matter (10 pages), except to renumber drawing sheets;
13. checks in the amount of \$425.00 (\$385.00 for the filing fee and \$40.00 for recordation of assignment) payable to the Commissioner for Patents along with a Fee Calculation Sheet (1 page);
10. this Letter of Transmittal (3 pages);
11. Express Mail Certificates for each document; and
12. a Return Postcard Receipt.

Please note:

This application claims priority to United States Patent Application No. 09/769,090, filed January 24, 2001, now issued as United States Patent No. 6,684,572, and claims the benefit of United States Provisional Application No. 60/178,006, filed on January 24, 2000.

All right title and interest in this United States application filed February 2, 2004 and in United States Patent Application No. 09/769,090, filed January 24, 2001, now issued as United States Patent No. 6,684,572, and United States Provisional Application No. 60/178,006, filed on January 24, 2000, is owned by Jambskins, Inc.

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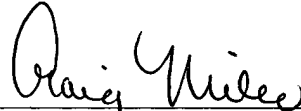
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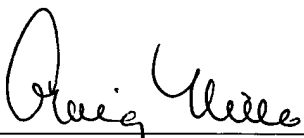
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Effective 10/01/2003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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1005 160	2005 80	Provisional filing fee	
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1	-20** = 0	X	= 0	
Independent Claims	1	-3** = 0	X	= 0
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1203 290	2203 145	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
1204 86	2204 43	** Reissue independent claims over original patent	
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1812 2,520	1812 2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
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1805 1,840*	1805 1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
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1403 290	2403 145	Request for oral hearing	
1451 1,510	1451 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452 110	2452 55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453 1,330	2453 665	Petition to revive - unintentional	
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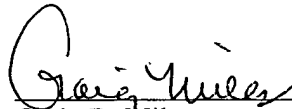
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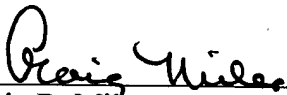
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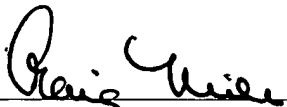
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